

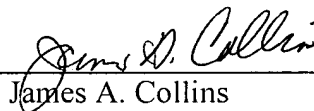
Remarks

Applicants' representative appreciates the recognition of allowable subject matter in claims 1 - 4, 7 - 18, 24, 28, 29, 45, 54, and 57. Because claim 46 depends on an allowable claim, Applicants' submit that claim 46 is also allowable.

Although Applicants' representative do not concede that claims 5 - 6, 19 - 23, 25 - 27, 30 - 44, 47 - 54, 55, 56, and 58 are anticipated or rendered obvious in view of the cited art, these claims are cancelled to expedite an allowance.

In view of the remarks and amendments above, Applicants respectfully submit that the claims are in condition for allowance. If any issues remain, Applicants request that the Examiner call the undersigned to expedite the prosecution of the application.

Respectfully submitted,



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